JOINT DEBATE

Fortune Teller of Wide Repute Dies a

an Advanced Age.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ONANCOCK, VA, July 29.—County Court to-day was attended by a large crowd. The principal political excitement was a joint dispussion between S. Wilshins Matthews and John R. Row, candidates for the House of Delegates. Records were handled without gioves.

Mrs. Sally Hodges, who for more than fifty years has lived just beyond the corporate limits of the town, is dead, aged eighty-two years. She had the most of her life practiced fortune telling, and had long enjoyed quite a reputation for skill in that line. It was not an unusual thing to see several carriages near her residence, and surprise was often expressed at some who consulted her. Many came from the adjoining counties in Maryland, and some from more distant localities. The business gave her husband and herself a comfortable living.

BURROS IN BUCHANNAN

A Number of the Animals Are Brough

WORK HAS BEGUN

Louisville and Nashville Building Branch

ed yet.
Surveying and land dealing still continues in this vicinity.
There are scattering cases of typhoid fever in Lee and Wise counties, in Virginia, and Harlan and Letcher counties, Kentucky.

Magoon-McCalley.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VÅ, July 29.—
Mr. Frank D. Magoon, son of Captain
Magoon, superintendent of the National
Cemetery here, and Miss Annie Grace McCalley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. M.
McCalley, were married last night at the
residence of the bride's parents by Rev.
William Phillips, pastor of the Christian
Church. Miss Attawa Sthreshley was
maid of honer, and Mr. George McCleary,
best man. The ushers were Messrs, A.
S. Rouzle, A. M. McCalley, J. J. Nicholson and L. M. Jones.

Bowen-Oliff.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FRIDDERICKSBURG, VA., July 29.—
Mr. B. P. Bowen and Miss Dalsy Olff.
both of Richmond county, arrived here
on the steumer last night and were married at the residence of Mrs. Fannie E.
Keene. Rev. Dr. T. S. Dunaway officiating, Mr. H. Parker, of this city, was
best man. Mr. and Mrs. Bowen left by
steamer to-day for their home in Richmond county.

Bailey-Slemp.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BRISTOL, TENN., July 2.—Miss Vesta Slemp, the pretty niece of Congressman Slemp, of the Ninth Virginia District, was married here this afternoon to J. C. Bailey, agent for the Louisville and Nashville Railway at Big Stone Gap, Va. Rev. George W. Simmons officiated.

BY GENERAL MILES

Secretary Root Also Visite

Camp Ordway, Near

Leesburg.

Wm. F. Brown, 186 Franklin St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

WERE INSPECTED

THE ORANGE HORSE SHOW

Ideal Weather and a Record-Breaking Crowd.

FINE FIELD OF HORSES

Governor Montague and Senator Thos. S. Martin Among Those Present. Many Society People There. Town in Holiday Attire.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ORANGE, VA., July 29.—Favored by ideal weather, the sixth annual exhibition of the Orange Horseman's Association opened here to-day with a record-break-

ing attendance, the crowd being much larger than is usually seen on opening The fields of horses are large and many of the entries are really highclass, which applies especially to hunt ers and jumpers. His Excellency, Governor Montague, arrived last night and is in attendance to-day, as is United States Senator Hon. Thomas S. Martin. Governor Montague returns home to-night, but Senator Martin will remain

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As usual, the social feature is pronounced, and prominent society people from various centers are in evidence, Washington, Baltimore and other points being quite well represented. Orange is in holiday attire, and out at the Horse Show grounds the scene is one of life and gayety. Numerous improvements have been made and the management, is up-to-date and progressive, and affairs being conducted on a liberal scale. Most of the Virginia stables of show horses are here, the largest being that of Courtland H. Smith, of Alexandria. Others well known are those of J. B. McComb Bros, Somerset; Julian Morris, Campbell, Castle Hill, Cobham; W. W. Sanford, Woodley; H. O. Lyne, William Dupont, Juck Henderson, Charles H. Hurkamp, Boscobel; Mr. and Mrs. Blair Johnston, Dr. T. D. Owsley, Greenwood; S. Russell Smith, Culipper.

In the middle and heavyweight hunter class, the victory of the noted high jumpers, Amaret and Hornpipe, were well received, and created prolonged applause, Both horses are here fresh from Atlantic City. These Virginia breds are widely known as winners, not only at the local shows, but at all of the big Eastern affairs.

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Some very creditable exhibitions of horsemanship were seen in the ladies' classes. Miss Skelton, of Richmond, landed Lady Olga a winner, while Miss Daniels, of Culipeper, and Miss Hopkins, of Washington, and others added much to the success of the day.

Mrs. Charles H. Hurkamp drove her entry, the neat brown gelding, Captain Jenks, with skill and ease.

To-morrow will be the big day of the show, and attendance promises to be very large. Up-to-Date scored a splending performance in the high jump, free-for-all, up to five feet.

The following gentlemen acted as judges: Louis Hlat, of New York; Lee Evans, of Warrenton, Va.; James Clark, V. Pinckney Craig and W. Steart Diffenderfer.

SUMMARIES.

M. Pinckney Craig and W. Steart Dif'enderfer. SUMMARIES.

Class 1-Castle Hill Farm's Arnon, first;
W. G. Crenshaw's John Dye, second.

Class 3-Meadow Farm's Kentucky
Eabe, first; Castle Hill's Pretty Maid,
second; W. G. Crenshaw's Morcury, third;
Jack Henderson's bay colt, fourth.

Class 36-L. L. Shannon's Kentucky
Babe, first; Castle Hill's Pretty Maid,
second; W. F. Frazier's Nance, third;
Jack Henderson's bay colt, fourth.

Class 37-Castle Hill's Radiant. first; L.
G. Grasty's Flash, second; B. Taylor's
Kim, fourth.

chestnut gelding, third; H. T. Holladay's Kim, fourth.
Class 7-R. G. Watkins' William M., first; F. R. Puckett's King Harlock, second; William Dupont's Selim, third.
Class 35-C. J. Rixey's Marine, first; James W. Garnett's William, second; George W. Morton's Joseph Dalsy, third. Class 18-Wilber Osborne's Red Cloud, first; Jack Henderson's Bobar, second; Wilber Osborne's Flashlight, third; J. B. McComb and Brothers' Mary Ann, fourth.
Class 3-R. C. Bocton and Brothers' Queen of Spaces, first; W. G. Crenshaw's Omar, second; C. J. Rixey's Tom, third; J. L. Coleman's Prince, fourth.
Class 3-Morris and Josin's Rubround, first; H. O. Lyne's Helen Gray, second; J. B. McComb and Brothers' Kentucky Cardinal, third; R. G. Mitchell's Lady

al, third; R. G. Mitchell's Lady ge, fourth.

L. S. Rickett's Lady Olga, first;

B. McComb and Brothers' Lady Light-oot, second; Mrs. W. C. Reed's Black rince, third; Castle Hill Farm's Gold

Class 17—Charles H. Hurkamp's Amaret. first; Mrs. Charles Hurkamp's Hompipe, second; Courtland H. Smith's Flambeau, third; eame owner's Skibberseen, fourth. Class 25-J. B. McComb and Brothers' Lady Lightfoot, first; L. S. Rickett's Lady Olga, second; Mrs. Charles H. Hurkamp's Captain Jinks, third; H. O. Lyne's Nancy Brown, fourth.

Captain Jinks, third; H. O. Lyne's Nancy Brown, fourth. Class 22, Sporting Tandems—Jack Hen-derson's, first; J. B. McComb and Bro-thers', second. Class 23—J. B. McComb and Brothers' Nancy Scott, first; same owner's Lady Lightfoot, second; L. L. Shannon's Rob-Roy, third; Wilbur Osborne's Sockman, fourth.

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Class 32-L. S. Rickett's Lady Olga, first; J. B. McComb and Brothers' Kentucky Cardinal, second; Morris and Joslin's My Lady Gay, third; James E. Porter's Forest King, third.

Class 25, Four-in-Hand-W. W. Sanford, first; William Dupont, second.

Class 15-Courtland H. Smith's Flambeau, first; Richard Wallace's Vista, second; Courtland H. Smith's Skibbereen, third; Wilbur Osborne's Red Bland, fourth.

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fourth.
Class 19—Courtland H. Smith's Up-topate, first; Charles H. Hurkamp's Amaret, second; Mrs. Charles H. Hurkamp's
Hornpipe, third; Courtland H. Smith's
Lucy Sutherland, fourth.
W. J. C.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

Mr. John T. Moon and Two Daughters Thrown from Their Buggy,

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
CHATHAM, VA., July 29.—Sunday afternoon Mr. John T. Moon's horse ran away, throwing him and two daughters out, overturning the bussy and catching out, overturning the bussy and catching the occupants under it. Mr. Moon received very painful injury to one knee, and one leg was badly cut. The youngest of the little girls sustained a long gash across the forenead and the other was slightly bruised about the face, but not painfully injured.

The Baptist and Presbyterian Sunday-schools, combined, will give the members a princia to die Banister Church Thursday.

Anderson C. Owen has announced him-

ONE LUNG

May be gone and yet the remaining lung will be amply sufficient to sustain a vigorous vitality. As a general thing few people make more use of both lungs than is equivalent to a healthy use of one lung. These facts are all in the favor of the man or woman with weak lungs, even when disease has a strong grip on them.

Many a person living in health to-day has the lungs marked by the healed scars of disease.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes

Discovery makes
weak lungs
strong. It cures
obstinate, deepseated coughs,
bronchitis, bleeding lungs and ing lungs and other conditions, which, if neglect-ed or unskilfully treated, find a fatal termination

Those who suffer from chronic diseases are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free All correspondence strictly private. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets assist the action of the "Discovery."

asking \$5,000 damages for defamation of character.

The registration books, which will be opened in every district in the county previous to the Democratic primary, have been returned from Calland's District with additional voters of 73 white and 5 negroes. Dan River District books have been returned with 76 whites additional.

TWO ACCIDENTS

A Little Boy and a Young Man Hurt at Williamsburg.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) (Special to The Times-Dispatch)
WILLIAMSBURG, VA., July 22.—George
Lane, the little son of Colonel L. W.
Lane, was quite painfully hurt while out
riding this morning. The pony he was
riding stumbled and fell on the little fellow, spraining his knee. Dr. Hankins
was called in and treated the injured
knee.

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H. K. Graves, the day operator for the Chesapeake and Ohlo, had his collarbone dislocated in a game of base-ball here vesterday. Mr. Graves was doing the silde-in act, when one of the players fell on him. Graves will have to carry his arm in a sling for several weeks.

It is believed that A. J. Barnes, of this city, will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the House of Delegates in opposition to E. C. Madison, of Warwick.

TAZEWELL MEDICAL SOCIETY BANQUETED

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

POCAHONTAS, VA., July 28.—An ele-gant banquet was tendered the Tazewell

gant banquet was tendered the Tazeweil Medical Society at the Pocahontas Inn to-night by the local physicians here. Doctor J. P. Haller, T. F. Stump, G. H. Zimmerman and J. C. Dorst.

Nearly all the leading physicians of the county were present, several of whom were accompanied by their wives. Covers were laid for forty-five. Several toasts were responded to, and an enjoyable time was had by all. Dr. Haller was toastmaster.

SENATOR LUPTON

IS IN THE RACE

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WINCHESTER, VA., July 29,-Contrary WINCHESTER, VA., July 29.—Contrary to reports published to-day to the effect that Senator S. L. Lupton had withdrawn from the senatorial contest, Mr. Lupton declares in an open letter that he is still a candidate, but objects to the proposed plan of having tickets at the primaries instead of the viva-voce vote as prescribed by the State Committee, to which body the matter has been referred, He says he will abide by its decision.

Dr. Scott Commissioned.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDDRICKISBURG, VA., July 29.—
Dr. Sidney L. Scott, son of Mr. William
Scott, of this city, has received a commission from the United States navy as an assistant surgeon of that Department with the rank of lieutenant. He is now here awaiting orders.

Messrs, John T. Goolrick, Jr., and K. Nelson Goolrick, two prominent youngmen, of this city, who left here some months ago for South Afjea, to angage in business, have returned, the climatic conditions of the country and the business outlook being unfavorable to the enterprise which they contemplated engaging in. K. Nelson Goolrick will engage in business in New York and John T. Goolrick will take up his work of electrical engineering.

SENATOR MARTIN

There Was Not Room on His Farm to Stack His

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) SCOTTSVILLE, VA., July 28.—As a result of the propitious weather-heavy rains early in the season and the dry spell following-the hay crop here has surpassed the expectations of the most sanguine. Senator T. S. Martin made 250,000 pounds of the choicest, and had

250,000 pounds of the choicest, and had to go off of his 2,000-are farm to find room to stack it.

Among others, Mr. Ryland Fox, of Spring Hill, had a most excellent crop of the best quality.

Captain J. L. Pitts, of Belle Haven, had two barns full, besides fourteen or fifteen stacks.

Mr. L. R. Agee, of Buckingham, had to double the size of his hay house, his crop was so immense.

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Mr. F. H. Birch, of Charlottesville, visited Scottsville Saturday.

Mrs. Allen Hill, of Roanoke, is the guest of her brother, Mr. C. B. Harriest

across the forehead and the other was slightly brilised about the face, but not painfully injured.

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Mrs. Cella Martin and children, of Richmond, have arrived here, and are deminded in their new house.

Mrs. J. V. Pereira leaves on Monday for Roanoke.

Misses Met and Lucie Powers, accompanied by Mr. A. G. Bell, will leave on Thursday morning for Atlantic City via Richmond and Baltimore

THE CASE OF MORRIS

Verdict Against Endorser of Note of His.

A NEGRO PREACHER HELD

The Charge of Criminal Assault is Brought Against Rev. R. Brown. The Mann Law Being Enforced.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, July 29 .- A suit growing out of the famous kiteing cases exposed here in April, was settled in the Court of Frank Jacobs obtained a verdict against P. J. Morris, the disbarred attorney that time got the money. The note was resisted payment on various pleas, the gotiable. The contradictory testimony involves the veracity of the witnesses as to involves the veracity of the witnesses as to disputed statement that the words, "or order," on the face of the note were erased so as to render the note non-ne-gotiable. That was the question for the jury to decide, and there has been testimony on that subject for two days. One set of witnesses contends that a pen crasure was through those negotiable words when the note was given the other words when the note was given the other set says the mark was not there at that time, but was put there afterward.

They debated the question from 12 o'clock noon to 3 o'clock, and declared that Jacobs should have his money, with interest from the date of discount. Judge D. Tucker Brooke was the attorney for the plaintiff.

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R. Brown is held at the Norfolk county jail, charged with criminally assaulting Nora Burke. The case was continued until August 8th. Brown is a negro preacher, and, it is alleged, visited the house of Mrs. Margaret Burke, a white woman of Pughtown, and in her absence criminally assaulted her daughter. Nora, a feeble-minded girl about twenty years of age. The alleged deed was committed on June 24th, but Brown made his escape and was not captured till Monday. The girl, after identifying her assailant, became irrational and was unable to give any further statements. The case was continued until the mother thinks the girl may be rational.

REMOVING ENGINES.

For many years the question of removing the engines and machinery from the old United States receiving ship Franklin has been considered, but no decision was reached until recently, when the Navy Department ordered the work done. The engines, bollers and other machinery have been in the ship for many years, and while not used for a quarter of a century or more, machinists have always been employed to keep the working parts in order. Many parts of the old eighte may be used again, and by its removal much greater room, which is badly needed, will be secured. An opening has been made in the roof of the old eighty-gun line-of-battle fighter, and the 120-ton derrick built at the navy yard is alongside ready to lift out engines and bollers, which will be taken to the yard and stored. which will be taken to the yard

bollers, which will be taken to the yard and stored. George W. Wallace, formerly an en-gineer of the electric lighting plant of the Old Dominion Dock, was in the Police Court this morning charged with stealing. Court this morning charges with accurate The trial was postponed for the defense. The man is a skilled mechanic, and was a trusted employe of the company till he was suspected and watched. He is accused of taking \$50 worth of copper and selling it for \$4.50.

VIOLATED MANN LAW.

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Tim Murphy was fined for running a place for the sale of liquor on Sunday and with selling liquor without license. The two fines aggregated 100 and costs, and there was a jall sentence of sixty days added in one case and three months in the other case. The blind tiger was kept in the second story of a Main Street saloon, but according to the testimony for the defense there were three cases of beer, with which the owners intended to go fishing. The police are watching these places closely, and there is a determination to enforce the provisions of the law.

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INJURED IN CAR ACCIDENT

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Secial to The Times-Dispatch.)

EXECUSEBURG, VA., July 20.—

BY L. Scott, son of Mr. William of this city, has received a comfrom the United States navy as tant surgeon of that Department rank of lieutenant. He is now thing orders.

John T. Goolrick, Jr., and K. John T. Goolrick, Jr., and K. John T. Goolrick, Jr., and K. John T. Goolrick, two prominent young this city, who left here some axo for South Africa, to engage use, have returned, the climatics of the country and the business being unfavorable to the enterplet that the country and the business in New York and John ck will take up his work of election of the law of the County Court of Norfolk country for selling liquor on Sunday, June 14th, for selling liquor on Sunday, June 14th, and that under the Amn law it is not a criminal act to keep a bar-room open on Sunday. The new law, under which the vigorous crusade is being made against the liquor dealers, declares that they must not sell liquors on Sunday. The court imposed a fine that was specified by the old law, because the clause against keeping saloons open on Sunday. The court imposed a fine that was specified by the old law, because the clause against keeping saloons open on Sunday. The court imposed a fine that was specified by the old law, because the clause against keeping saloons open on Sunday. The court imposed a fine that was specified by the old law, because the clause against keeping saloons open on Sunday. The court imposed a fine that was specified by the old law, because the clause against keeping saloons open on Sunday. The court imposed a fine that was specified by the old law, because the clause against keeping saloons open on Sunday. The defendant had been tried under the new law. It is defended to convert Fort Fi

RAPPAHANNOCK FAIR

Fine Programme Issued for the Annua

Exhibition.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., July 29.—
The premium lists for the coming fair of the Rappahannock Valley Agricultural Society to be held at this city September 22d. 23d and 24th, are being distributed and a fine programme of races and other attractions indicates that the exhibition will be as good as was ever held here, if not better.

Belle Air and Berea Baptist Churches, in Stafford county, have formally withdrawn from the Potomac Association. Both churches have elected deegates to the latter Association, which convenes at dowling Green. August 1913.

Mr. O. A. Mays is building a large dairy barn and silo on Chainam farm, in Stafford county, just opposite this city. The work of paying the streets of this city will be completed in a few weeks and the work is giving the greatest satisfaction. The laying of the granolithic pavenents along the improved streets is now in progress. Exhibition.

"I write to let you know how I appreciate your Cascarrie. I commenced sating them last November of the last of the

now in progress.

Mr. — hard A. Hell has purchased of Mr. W. L. Amiss the latter's brick residence on Main Street.

Hon. Harry St. George Tucker will address the people of Caroline county, at

MUNYONS' Hazel

TWONEGROES ARE TO HANG

Death Sentence Passed Upon Bacon and Finch.

TRIAL WAS SPEEDY ONE

Bowling Green, on August 10th (court day) on the subject of "Education."

A large number of clitzens of Spotsylvania enjoyed a fish fry at Pendleton's Mill in that county, given by Messrs, T. P. Payne and C. Oliver to their friends, Many fish were caught, the cooking was a success and those present had a jolly good time.

The members of the Presbyterian Sunday school enjoyed their annual plenic at the Danneh "Sulphur Spring Farm." in Spotsylvania county, two miles from this city, where an enjoyable day was spent by the young people as well as the older ones present.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Victoria James Swan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Swan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Swan, daughter the creemony to take place at Brandy Baptist Church, in that county, on August 18th. Execution Will Take Place on Second Day of September-Motions for a New Trial Were Over-

ruled.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BOYDTON, VA., July 29 .- The jury yes terday convicted the other negro, Anderon Finch, of being an accessory to an attempt to assault Mrs. Geoghagan, The judge passed sentence upon both men this morning. The sentence is that Dock Baon and Anderson Finch shall both be hung on the 2d day of September, 1903. On Saturday they were indicted by the grand jury, and on Tuesday both tried and convicted, and to-day the death sentence was passed upon them.

Before the sentence was passed ex-Judge Alexander, of counsel for Anderson Finch, asked for a new trial upon the ground that his client had been dealt with oo harshly, which motion was overruled by the court. Mr. Powell, of counsel for

by the court. Mr. Powell, of counsel for Dock Bacon, then asked for a new trial for Bacon, which was overruled.

The court then, in a most solemn and impressive manner, proceeded to pass the death sentence.

The prisoners stod side by side, neither showing any emotion. Anderson Finch, who is about eighteen years old, stood with bowed head during the delivery of the sentence. The other prisoner stood gazing at the judge. The judge has ordered the prisoners to be sent to Petersburg and kept there until the day of execution.

THE SENTENCE.

A Number of the Animals Are Brought
There from New Mexico.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BUCHANAN, VA., July 23.—Mr., James
Williamson, of New Mexico, arrived last
week on a visit to relatives in this county.

He brought with him two carloads of
Mexican burros, for which he expects to
find sale in this section. These animals
are genuine curiosities here. Boost of
them are broken and all are docile and
easily controlled. They hear calle to be
very useful as burden-hearers, and are
able to carry heavy loads on their backs
up steep mountain sides.

There are folly from alles and females,
in the lot razing herbage too scanty to
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iff the found that they can stand the
winters of this climate, they will doubtless soon become as plentiful in the mountains of Virginia as they now are in the
mining regions of the Southwest.

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THE SENTENCE.

Judge Homes, in sentencing the prisoners, said:

Before the people of your race in Virginia and other Southern States had conferred upon them their freedom, and while they were held as slaves, I want to say to their honor and credit that the crime of assault among us upon white iedies by the men of your race was almost if not a thing unheard of.

Far from such existing, your race enjoyed, and deservedly so, the confidence of the white people. The incumbent of this bench remembers well those four years, 1861 to 1855, during which time nearly all of the white men were called from their homes to the army and battlefield, when they left behind at home their wives, daughters and little ones, in a great measure, in the care and under the protection of the colored men of the South.

Your race, then, proved faithful to the

South.
Your race, then, proved faithful to the trust imposed, and when I remember the same I feel a profound respect for the old colored men of those days.
When your race had conferred upon it freedom it was indeed to be hoped that it would make you even a better people, and more worthy of the confidence and respect of the white man. I am sorry to know, however, that while the old colored men of those days continued faithful, that it is a lamentable fact that many of the younger generation, who have enjoyed the advantages of freedom and education, have abused the same, and for years have been committing with alarming and increasing frequency this awful crime upon white ladies.

DOING THEIR RACE WRONG.
In this they have not only committed on the victims most horrible crimes, but have done and are doing their own race great wrongs and injustice, and exciting a prejudice which would not otherwise (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CRAB ORCHARD, VA., July 29.—Work has now begun on the Pennington Gap Pocket and Crab Orchard branch of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad.
The smallpox has broke out in places near Pennington Gap; no fatalities reported yet.
Surveying and the Surveying and Surveying

great wrongs and injustice, and exciting a prejudice which would not otherwise great wrongs and injustice, and exciting a prejudice which would not otherwise exist. It is incumbent on the better element of your race for their own good and elevation, that they take prompt steps to cultivate a public sentiment among themselves, which will condemn and put a step to these alarming crimes. Whether they will do it or not remains for them to determine, either for their weal or wee. One tring, however, can be said, and that is that the verdict of juries and the judgment of courts under the law in such cases have plainly declared to the world that he who commits this crime shall, when proven guilty, pay the penalty thereof with his own life.

You both have been indicted and tried for an attempt to commit this awful crime upon a refined Christian lady, in the very heart of a populous town. A more desperate and daring act can hardly be conceived of.

ly be conceived of.

BOTH TO HANG.

The juries who tried each of you under the instructions of the court upon the law, have, upon due deliberation, found each of you guilty, and declared by their verdict that you be punished with death. each of you guitty, and declared by their verdict that you be punished with death. It only remains for this court to pass sentence upon you. Before discharging that solemn and painful duty, as I may never see you again, allow me to suggest that you employ the few days that remain to you in this world, in preparing to stand before the great Judge of all mankind, and remember that only the blood of Jesus Christ can absolve you from your sins.

The judgment of this court is that you be taken to Petersburg, Va., by the sheriff of this county, and there securely confined in jail until the 2d day of September, 1903, upon which day, between the hours of 6 A. M. and 6 P. M. each of you will be hanged by the sheriff of this county at the jail of this county, by the neck until you are dead, and may the Lord have mercy upon you.

SCARED BY NEGROES

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LEESBURG, VA., July 29.—LieutenantGeneral Nelson A. Miles visited Camp
Ordway (D. C.) militia, near Leesburg,
on Tuesday. He was accompanied by his
personal aides, Colonels Subley and Maus.
Arriving on the afternoon train in a
private car, the party was met at the
station by General Harris and staff and
escorted on horseback to the camp, where
a general review of the brigade was held,
Secretary of War Root visited the camp
on Wednesday. Raised a Disturbance When There Was No Man at Home.

No Man at Home.

(Bpecial to The Times-Dispatch.)

STAUNTON, VA., July 29.—Two unknown newroes created quite an excitement last night near Buffalo Gap, this county. They went to the house of Mr. II. D. Wood, where they demanded something to eat. There was no man at home at this time, and the negroes raised such a disturbance and were so hotsterous that Mrs. Wood and her daughter became frightened, ran out the back way and some distance to a neighbor's. When the excitement was somewhat over and several men gathered, the negroes had made good their escape.

UNION MEN MUST PAY HIGHER PRICE

The Dowels

(By Associated Press.)

(CHICAGO, II.L., July, 29.—The price of overalls, jumpers and other cotton garments for workmen will be advanced sharply all over the Julied Blates, according to a statement made by T. A. White, of Scranton, Pa. secretary of the Union Made Garment Makers' Association in convention here. The Association in convention



CAPTAIN BURTON

FARMVILLE, VA., July 29 .- The fun eral of Captain R. M. Burton took place this afternoon at 5 o'clock from his late residence, Rev. S. H. Thmopson officiat-ing. After the services, which were sim-ple, the remains were laid to rest in the Farmville Cemetery. The flowers were numerous and beautiful, and the proces

CAPTAIN R. M. BURTON

sion one of the longest seen in Farm-ville. The Masons had charge of the

burlal, and nearly every member turned

A large number of the deceased's friends were present from neighboring towns and cities.

RICHMOND LADY

ROBBED TRUNK OF

Years in the Peni-

tentiary.

James Stevens, colored, charged with en-

THAT CURSE CALLED RUMOR.

NEW RECEIVER IS NAMED



out.
The following were the pall-bearers:
Active—J. E. Garland, S. A. Garland, P.
H. C. Rice, W. P. Venable, J. A. Scott,
Dr. W. E. Anderson, Honorary—W. G.
Venable, William Duvall, R. D. Miller, H.
E. Wall, W. H. Ewing, B. L. Anderson,
A. W. Drumheller, Haney Stokes, A. A.
Haskins.

A large number of the deceased's

James Stevens Is Given Two

SALOONKEEPERS FIGHT

James Stevens, colored, charged with entering the residence of Joseph A. Peck, and robbing the trunk of a Richmond lady, Miss James, was this afternoon found gullty and his term fixed at two years in the penitentiary. Stevens narrowly escaped lynching at the hands of a mob on July 3, the rumor having spread that assault had been attempted.

The body of Fireman Walter Meeks, who was killed yesterday in the Southern Rallway wreck, near Springfield, reached here at noon to-day and was interred this afternoon in Oakhill cemetery. Meeks was twice married. His second wife was Miss Sallie Chambers, of Charlottesville, the marriage having occurred but a few months since. He leaves two children by his first wife. THAT CURSE CALLED RUMOR.

Between the Incendiary who fres his neighbor's barn in secret vengeance, and the Worthy who starts a "run" on a Bank with malicious gossip, there is only a technical difference.

Gossip-with-a-purpose has too often been used to stab character and to wreck fortunes, and it is a great pity the law cannot better reach those who employ such intangible and insidious methods to achieve their ends.

Scarcely any enterprise, or individual, no matter how deserving, is safe from the subtle dangers of the Gossip-monger, and human nature so loves a morsel of such "news" that it can be relied upon to "push along" a rumor when once it has been judiclously started.

A vivid illustration of the gross injustice such a rumor can do is seen in the "Force" Food Company's advertisement of this date, wherein a reward of \$5.000 is offered for the conviction of the parties who initiated the suggestion that "Force" was drugged.

A further offer of \$5.000 for evidence that a single package of the fifty million sold contain anything except Wheat, Barley and Table Salt is, of course, a complete refutation of the rumor, even if the State Supervision of Foods was not in itself ample protection.

People who love fair play in business, as well as in other matters, will read with indignation that it has cost The "Force" Food Company over \$5.000 to publish a refutetion of this "rumor" in the newspapers of the United States and Canada, and probably, as much more in loss of sales resulting from the baseless gossip which did the harm.

The absurdity of the rumor is apparent when it is known that the public has consumed fifty million packages of "Force" without a single instance of any ill effect upon any one of the users.

The "Porce" Company are evidently suffering the usual penalty for success.

The Council Committee on Finance held a meeting yesterday afternoon, but transacted no business beyond approying the accounts of Commissioner Hawkins. The meeting was called for this purpose and was very brief.

PREACHER TAKES DAUGHTER HOME

Told Man With Whom She Eloped He Could Marry Her in Two Years.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BRISTOL, TENN., July 29.—Rev. My. Murray, whose fifteen-year-old daugh-ter cloped with E. S. Ames, of Salem, Va., and came to Bristol last Saturday night, arrived in Bristol last night and in light, arrived in Bristol last night and returned home his morning, accompanied by his daughter. Young Ames, who was also here, insisted on Mr. Murray's consent for his daughter's marriage, but the old gentleman held out stoutly a saginst it. However, he complimented Ames' character, and told him that he might marry the girl two years later. This satisfied Ames and he accompanied the preacher and his daughter as the return trip to Roanoke.

IS LAID TO REST DAMAGE FOR DEAD NEGRO

Ten Thousand Dollars.

His Administrator Sues for

Judge S. J. Dudley Appointed to Held Administer the Valuable Finch

Property-Shipbuilding Com-

ng in contact with an overcharged wire. o-day entered another suit for \$10,000 damages, this time making defendants The Consumers' Light, Heat and Power Company, Newport News and Old Point Railway and Electric Company, and the Citizens' Railway, Light and Power Company. The first action was against the Consumers' Company alone and was non-suited, when it was decided to make non-suited, when it was decided to make the other companies parties defendant.

Judge Blackstone, in the Circuit Court, to-day appointed Judge S. J. Dudley temporay receiver, to act with R. I. Mason in the conduct of the Finch property on Washington Avenue, valued at several hundred thousand dollars. Mason and Banker F. F. Finch were originally named as receivers. Mason chimed that Finch would not co-operate with him and applied to have him removed BRASS FOUNDRY.

The Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company to-day began operating its new brass foundry, a large addition is being made to its old iron and brass foundry, and it is stated that a small steel plant will be operated in conjunction with it.

The German cruiser Gazelle has sailed for Halifax, after being overhauled at the ship yard.

The Vineta, flagship of Germany's squadron in American waters, is expected here again soon.

Mrs. Susan Cassidy, wife of Thomas Cassidy, died this morning at her home ofter an illness of only two hours. The Lady Maccabees will conduct the funeral Friday.

The bleycle store of Ben. I. Johnson was destroyed by fire this morning. The loss was about \$1,009.

John D. Thomas, aged thirty-five died this morning. He is survived by his widow and three children. The Pythians will take the body to Suffolk for interment. the other companies parties defendant.

TOWN OF BREMERTON

(By Associated Press.)

OLYMPIA, WASH., July 29.—The Supreme Court has issued an order, returnable Friday, requiring the Town Council of Bremerton to show cause why it should not be restrained from Interfering with the opening of the saloons of that place. To secure the reschding of the Nayy Department's order that no more government craft go to be Bremerton yards on account of the more lawrendings, the Bremerton Town Council revoked the fleque licenses of the saloons in the town, One saloon-keeper carried the matter into the courts claiming that the Council had no authority to revoke a license prior to its expiration. The lower court decided in favor of the town and the saloon-keeper appealed.

Routine Business.